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Introduction

Praise to **Allah (God)** of the universe and **His** peace and blessings may be upon our Prophet Mohammed (peace be upon him and upon his family and companions).

No doubt that one of the most important points that should be considered while raising-up the Muslim child is to bind him and his heart with **Allah** (praise to **Him**) and teach him to keep his tongue at all times and in all conditions moist with the remembrance of **Allah**.

From this concept, we have collected these invocations and supplications (as the Prophet was guided to say), recorded in Hadiths, to help the young Muslim during the delicate phase of his up-bringing and the formulation of his Islamic character.

In order to make it easily grasped, we have chosen some sayings of the prophet Mohammed (peace be upon him) in remembrance, thus as a brief selection to meet the children's perceptions. So we realize their great impact in the coming phases of the young Muslims' education, so that only sound and trusted Hadith coming from Prophet Mohammad (P.B.U.H.) have been used.

We ask **Allah** to accept this humble collection as having been done sincerely for **His** sake. May Allah guide us and our children to what He likes and approves. AMEN

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When I wake up I say:

**Praise is to Allah who gives us life
after he has caused us to die; and to
Him is the return.**

**"Al-hamdu lillahil-lathee
'ahyaanaa ba'da maa
'amatanaa,
wa 'ilayhin-nushoor".**



When entering the restroom (toilet):

I enter with my left foot and say:

"In the name of Allah, I seek protection in You from the male and female unclean spirits."

"Bismillaahi, Allahumma 'innee a'oothu bika minal- khubthi walkhabaa 'ith".

When leaving the restroom (toilet):

I leave with my right foot and say:

"I Seek Your forgiveness".

" Ghufraanaka ".



Before I perform Ablution to pray I say
(In the name of Allah)
" Bismillaahi "



When I complete my Ablution, I say
"I bear witness that none has the right to be worshipped
but Allah alone , Who has no partner ; and I bear witness
that Mohammed is His slave and His messenger".
"O' Allah make me among those who turn to you in
repentance, and make me among those who are purified".

" Ash – hadu anna la –illaha ilallah
wahdahu la sharika lahu wa ash –
hadu anna Mohammedan 'abduhu
wa rassulahu. Allahumma j'alnee
minat -tawabeena waj'alnee minal-
matatahhireen"



In the morning I say:

O Allah, by You we enter the morning and by You we enter the evening, by You we live, and be You we die, and to You is the final return

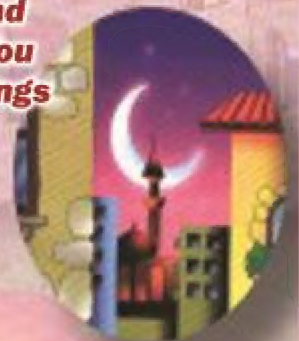
"Allaahumma bika asbahana, wa bika amsayna, wa bika nahya, wa bika namut wa ilaykan-nushoor".

In the morning & evening I say:

"In the Name of Allah, Who with His name nothing can cause harm neither in the earth nor in the heavens, and He is the All Hearing the All-Knowing." (3 times)

"O' Allah, you are my Lord there is none worthy of worship but You, You created me and I am your slave I keep your covenant and my pledge to You so far as I am able . I seek refuge in You from the evil of what I have done. I admit to Your blessings upon me, and I admit to my miss deeds forgive me for there is none who may forgive sins but you".

"Bismillaahil-lathee laa yadhurru ma'as-mihi shay'un fil-'ardhi wa laa fis-samaa'i wa Huwas-Samee'ul-'Aleem". (3 mraat)

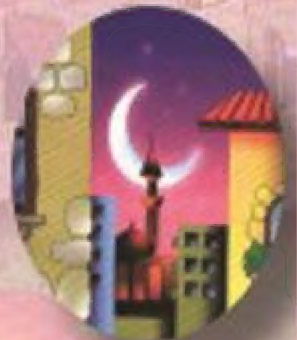


***" Allahoma anta rabbi la ilaha illa anta khlaqtani
wa ana abduk, wa ana ala ahdika wa wadika
ma stata'tu a'oothu bika min sharri ma sana'tu,
aboo'u laka bini' nimatika alaya,
wa abu'u bithanbee faghfir lee fa 'innahu la
yaghfiru thunooba illaa anta".***

In the evening I say:

***"O' Allah by You we enter the evening and by
You we enter the morning, by You we live and
by You we die and to You is our return".***

***" Allahoma bika amsayna ,
wa bika asbahna wa bika nahya
wa bika namut wa ilayka al maser".***



When I leave my home, I say:

**In the Name of Allah , I have placed
my trust in Allah , there is no might
and no power except by Allah.**

**"Bismillaahi, tawakkaltu alal- alaahi,
wa laa hawla wa laa quwwata illa billaah".**



When I enter my home, I say:

**I remember Allah and I greet my family
members and say: In the Name of Allah
we enter, in the name of Allah we leave,
and upon our Lord we depend".**

**"Bismillaahi walajnaa, wa bismillaahi kharajnaa
wa alal- lahi tawakkalna".**



What to say upon hearing the athan (call for prayer)

**I repeat what the Mua'thin (caller) says, except for when he says:
[Hasten to prayer] and [Hasten to salvation] Here I say:
"there is no might and no power except by Allah".**

"Haya ala salat wa haya ala falah"

I say:

"la hawla wala quwwata illa billah"

After he finishes, I say:

**"O' Allah, Lord of this perfect call and
established prayer, grant Mohammed
the intercession and favor and raise him
to the honored post You have promised him.**

**" Allahoma rabba hathihi da'wati tammati wassalatil-
qaa'ima, aati Mohammedan Alwaasilata wa Ifadilata
wa ba'th-hu maqaman mahmuda allathi wa'adtah"**



**When I enter the mosque, I enter with my right foot and I say:
In the name of Allah, and peace and blessings be upon the messenger of Allah. O Allah, open to me your gate of blessings**

"Bismillaah wa ssalaatu wa ssalamu ala rasulillah; Allahoma aftahli abwaba rahamatik".



**When I leave the mosque, I leave with my left foot and I say:
"In the name of Allah and peace and blessings be upon the messenger of Allah. O' Allah, I ask for Your favor. O Allah protect me from Satan the outcast". And I ask Allah between athan (call for prayer) and Iqama (prayer performance) the Dua'a as between them is accepted.**

"Bismillaah wa salatu wa salau alaa rasulillah Allahhoma inni asaluka min fadlika"





When I finish the prayer I say:


I seek the forgiveness of Allah. (3 times)

" Astagfirullaah". (3 marrat)

I ask pardon from Allah.

"O' Allah , You are peace and from You comes peace . Blessed are You O' owner of majaesty and honor".

" Allahoma anta ssalam wa minka ssalam , tabarakta ya thaljalali wa l'ikram".



I read: 1 times

Ayat AlKursi (surat 1, v.2:255)

= Surat 112

= Surat 113

= Surat 114

Then I say

"Glory is to Allah". " Subhanallah " (33 times)

"Praise is to Allah". " Al Hamdulilah " (33 times)

"Allah is the Most Great". " Allahwakabar" (33 times)

When I read Qura'an I say:

**I seek refuge in Allah
from evil the outcast**

**A' outho billahi
min ach-chaitani
rajim**



**Supplications for prostrating due to
recitation of the Qura'an I say:**

**"O' Allah I have prostrated my face to the one who created it,
and gave it hearing and sight by His might and His power.
Glory is to Allah the Best of creators".**

**"Allahhoma laka sajadtu wa bika amant wa laka aslamt,
sajada wajhiya lillathi khalaqahu wa sawwarahu wa
shaqqa sam'ahu wa basarahu, fatabaraka allahu ahsanu
alkhaliqeen."**

Or I might say :

**"O Allah , write it as a reward for me
and release me from a burden for it
and make it as a treasure for me in
paradise".**

**"Allahoma aktub li biha indaka ajran
wa da'a anni biha wizran wa 'jalhaa li
indaka thukhran."**



When I start eating I should say

"In The Name of Allah"

"Bismillaah"

And = I eat with my right hand

= What in front of me.

If I forget to say "Bismillaah" before eating I say: " In The Name of Allah, in the beginning and in the end".

"Bismillah fi awwalihi wa akhirihi"

When I finish eating I say

"Praise is to Allah who has given me this food and sustained me with it though I was unable to do it and powerless".

"Alhamdu lillahi alathi at'amani haatha wa razaqanihi min ghayri hawlin minnee wa la quwwah".



**invocations for someone who feeds me
I say to him after eating**

**"With you, those who are fasting have broken their
fast you have fed those who are righteous and the
angels recite their prayers upon you".**

**"Aftara indakumus-saa'imoona wa
akala ta'amkumul-'abraru wa sallat
alaykuml-malaa'ikah".**

Or I say

**"O' Allah, bless them in what You
have provided for them and forgive
them and have mercy on them".**

**"Allahoma barik lahum fima razaqtahum wa
aghfir lahum warahmhum"**



When I put on new clothes I say

"O' Allah praise is to You. You have clothed me, I ask You for its goodness and the goodness of what it has been made for and I seek Your protection from the evil of it and the evil of what it has been made for".

**" Allahoma lakal-hamdu
anta kasawtanihi,
as'aluka min khayrihi wa
khayri ma suni'a lahu wa
a'oothu bika min sharihi
wa sharri ma suni'a
lahu.".**



**When I have good news
or I am pleased**

**I prostrate myself
thanking Allah the
Blessed the
Almighty.**



When I see something I like I should say : pleasure :

**"What Allah will, there is no might
and no power except by Allah"**

"Mach Allah la quwata



Or I say :

"Allah blesses it"

**"Allahomma
barikfihi"**

When someone gives me a gift , I should say:

"May Allah bless you"

"Barak Allah fika"

and he replies me saying

**"And you Allah
Blesses".**

"Wa fika barak Allah"



While Yawning

***I put my hand on my mouth
because the devil laughs
when I say "ha"
While yawning.***



**When I wonder from
something, I say
Glory is to Allah
"Subhan
allah"**



**When I got angry from
something, I say**

**"I seek refuge in Allah from
devil the outcast"**

**"A'outho billahi
minach-
chaitanirauajim"**



**If any one sneezed in front of me
and he says:**

"All thanks are to Allah"

" All-Hamdulillah"

I say to him:

**"May Allah has mercy upon
you". And if he didn't thanks
Allah I say nothing.**

" Yarhamuka- Ilah "



**When I listen someone mentioning the name of
Prophet Mohammed I should say:**

**"Mohammed peace and blessings
may upon him"**

**"Mohammed salla-'llahu alayi
wa salam"**

Or I say:

**"upon him may be peace
and blessings"**

"Alayhi assa-lat wassa-lam"



When I meet a Muslim I say to him
"Peace, blessings and Allah's
mercy might be upon you"

"Assalamo alaykoum
wa rahmatollahi wa
barakatoh"



When I love a Muslim friend I say to him
"I love you for the sake of Allah, brother"
"Anna ohibouka fi Allah ya akhi"

And he replies me:

"May He, for whose sake you love me, love you"
"Ahabbaka llathi ahbabtani lahu"

When I visit friend

- I knock the door three times if no body opens the door I return.**
- I stand on the right or on the left**
- If he asked: "who is it?"
I mention my name.**

"Assalam Alaykoum"

**If he permits me, I enter and
if he didn't permit me I don't
enter.**



When I visit a patient I say to him

**"Don't worry; it will be
purification for you, Allah
willing"**

**"La ba'sa
tahoorun
in shaa' Allah"**



When I watch a handicapped / disable person I say:

"Praise is to Allah who healed me from what He has affected you with, and preferred me greatly above much He has created"

**"Al- hamdo lillahil- lathi
afani mimmabtalaka
bihi wa faddalani ala
khathirin mimman
khalaqa tafdila"**





Invocations for when a tragedy strikes

"We are from Allah and unto Him we return . O' Allah take me out of my plight and bring to me after it something better"

**"Inna lillahi wa inna ilihee
raji'oon". "allahomma
ajirnee fi museebati wa
khlufni**

Invocations for the condolence

"Surely, Allah takes what is His, and what He gives is His, and to all things He has appointed a time ... so has patience and be rewarded"

**"Inna lillahi ma akhatha
wa lahu ma a'ta wa kullu
shay'in indahu bi'ajalin
musama..... faltasber wa
Itahtaseb"**



Invocations for visiting the grave

"Peace be upon you, people of this abode, from among the believer and those who are Muslims, and we, by the will of Allah, shall be joining you. I ask Allah to grant us and you strength".

**"Assala'mu 'alaykum ahla
d diyar, mina- lmuo'
minina wa- lmuslimin, wa
inna in sha Allahu bikum
lahiqoon. As' alu llaha
lana wa lkum al- afiya"**



Invocations for riding in a vehicle on a plane I say

"With the name of Allah, Praise is to Allah. Glory is to Him who has provided this for us though we could never have had it by our efforts. Surely, into our Lord we are retaining".

Praise is to Allah (3 times)

Allah is the Most Great (3 times)

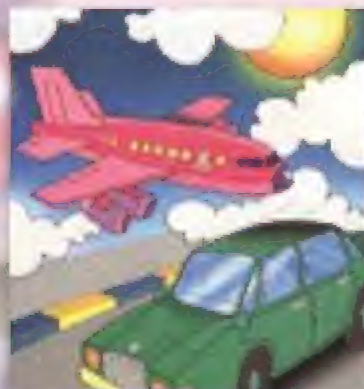
**"Glory is to You. O' Allah I have wronged my own soul.
Forgive me, for surely none forgives sins but You".**

**"Bismillaah, alhamdu lillah, subhana-
llathi sakhara lana hatha wa ma
kunna lahu, muqrineen, wa inna ila
rabbina lamunqaliboon"..**

"Alhamdu lillah". (3 times)

"Allah akbar". (3 times)

**"Subahnaka llahuma inni zalamtu nafsi faghfirli, fa'
innahu la ya ghfiru athonuba illa ant"**



**when I travel after riding in a vehicle, plane, train,
ship that I am traveling in I say**

**Allah is the Most Great, Allah is the
Most Great, Allah is the Most Great.
Glory is to Him who has provided this
for us through we could never have had
it by our efforts.**



**Surely unto our lord we are returning. O' Allah , we ask You
on this our journey for goodness and piety and for works
that are pleasing to You . O' Allah lighten this journey for
us and make its distance easy for us. O Allah, You are our
Companion on the road and the One in Whose care we
leave our family.**

**Allaahu'Akbar, Allaahu'Akbar, Allaahu'Akbar,
Subhaanal-lathee sakhara lanaa haathaa wa maa
kunna lahu muqrenineen. Wa 'innaa 'ilaa Rabbinaa
lamunqaliboon, Allaahumma 'innaa nas'aluka fee
safarinaa hathaal-birrawattaqwa, waminal-
'amalimaatardhaa, Allahumma hawwin 'alaynaa
safaranaa haathaa watwi 'annaa bu'dahu,
Allahumma 'Antas-saahibu fis-safari, walkhaleefatu
fil-'ahli, Allahumma 'innee 'a'oothu bika
Min wa'thaa' is-safari, wa ka' aabatil-mandhari,
wa soo'il-munqalabi fil-maaliwal' ahli".
min wa'thaa'is-safari, wa ka'abatil-manthari, wa
soo'il-munqalabi fil-maaliwal'ahli."**

**Upon return, repeat the same plea
for travel and I add**

**"We return repentant to our Lord,
worshipping our Lord, and praising
our Lord."**

**"Aa' iboona,
taa' iboona,
'aabidoona,
lirabbina
haamidoona"**



On the road when we go up/high I say

"Allah is the Most Great"

""Allaahu 'Akbar""



When we go down, I say

"Glory is to Allah"

"Subhaanallaah"

When I greet the traveler, I say
**"I leave you in the care of Allah, as nothing is
lost that is in his care"**

**"Astawdi'ukumul-laahal-latthee laa
tadhee'u wadaa'l`uhu"**

**Invocation for a layover (stopping along the way)
on the journey I say**



**"I seek refuge in the perfect
words of Allah from the Evil of
what he has created"**

**"A'oothu bikalimaatil-
laahit-taammaati min
sharri maa khalaq"**

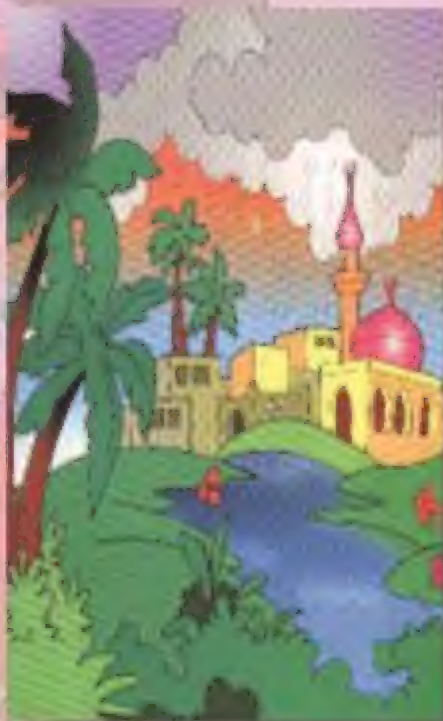
Invocations for sighting the new moon

"Allah is the Most Great O, Allah bring us the new moon with safe and faith, with peace and in Islam, and in harmony with what our lord loves and what pleases him. Our Lord and your Lord is Allah"

**"Allahu 'Akbar, Allahumma 'ahillahu
'alayna bil'amni wal'eemaani,**

**"wal'eemaani, wassalaamati
wal-Islaami, wattawfeeqi
lima tuhibbu Rabbanaa wa
tardhaa, Rabbunaa wa
Rabbukallaahu."**





**When I see the
rain I say**

**"O Allah, bring
beneficial rain
clouds."**

**"Allahumma
sayyiban
naafi' an"**

By the end of an assembly (sitting) I say
"Glory is to You. O Allah, and Praise is to
You. I bear witness that there is none
worthy of worship but You. I seek Your
forgiveness and repent to You."

"Subhannaka
Allaahumma wa
bihamdika, 'ash-hadu 'an
laa 'ilaaha 'illaa 'Anta,
'astaghfiruka wa 'atoobu
'ilayka"



When I sleep, I gather my hands and I read in them

**"In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful":
Say: "He is Allah, The One. The Self-Sufficient Master, Whom
all creatures need. He begets not nor was He was begotten,
and there is none equal unto Him." 112 Quran**

**"Bismillaahir-Rahmaanir-Raheem. Qul
Huwaallaahu 'Ahad. Allaahus-Samad.
Lam yalid wa lam yoolad. Wa lam yakun
lahu kufwan 'ahad."**

**Say: "I seek refuge with Allah, The Lord of
Daybreak from the evil of what He has
created, and from the evil of the darkening
(night) as it comes with its darkness; and from
the evil of those who practice witchcraft when
they blow in the knots; and from the evil of the
envier when he envies." 113 Quran**



"Bismillaahir-Rahmaanir-Raheem. Qul 'a'oothu birabbil-falaq. Min sharri maa khalaq. Wa min sharri ghasiqin 'ithaawaqab. Wa min sharri-naffaathaati fil-'uqad. Wa min sharri haasidin 'ithaa hasad".

Say: "I seek refuge with Allah, the Lord of mankind, the King of Mankind, the God of mankind from the evil of the whisperer who withdraws, who whispers in the breasts of mankind, of jinns and men. 114 Quran

" Bismillaahir-Rahmaanir-Raheem. Qul 'a'oothu birabbin-naas. Malikin-naas, 'illaahin-naas. Min sharri-waswasil-khannaas. Allathee yuwaswisu fee sudoorin-naas. Minal-jinnati wannaas".



**Then I sweep my body with my hands,
starting from my head**

**(three times) Then I put my right hand under my cheek and I
sleep on my right side.**

I say: "In Your Name O Allah, I die and I live."

**"With Your Name my Lord, I lie myself down and with Your Name
I rise. So, if You take my soul, have mercy on it. And if You send
it back, then protect it as you protect Your righteous slaves."**

**" Bismika Rabbee wadha'tu
janbee, wabika 'arfa'uhu, fa' in
amsakta nafsee farhamhaa, wa
'in arsaltahaa fahfadhhaa,
bimma tahfathu bihi 'ibaadakas-
saaliheen".**





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